LINCOLN'S POLICY.

HIS POSITION WITH RESPECT TO THE RESTORATION OF VIRGINIA.

Major Stiles's Publication of Judge Henry W. Thomas's Testimony in the Gold Cases.

In the Magazine of American History for September there is an article by Major Robert Stiles, entitled "Lincoln's Major Stiles cites various newspaper Restoration Policy for Virginia—the publications of the day. The earliest Restoration Policy for Virginia-the Pul Truth Brought to Light."

ral of Virginia in the defence of what was ing for the consideration of the proposiknown as the "Gold Cases." These were actions brought in the Federal ment as plaintiff against ex-Governor position of the President was laid be-William Smith and others, who had been fore the meeting, and "an informal officers of the Commonwealth in April, 1865, claiming of the defendants money of the State of Virginia, which the Govofficial salaries.

In the course of the trial testimony was given by Governor Smith and ex-Anditor and ex-Judge Henry W. Thomas great historical value and im-

That of Judge Thomas was of special interest as bearing upon the question how far Mr. Lincoln was prepared to go and did actually go in putting into execution his admitted views in favor of the immediate restoration of the southern States, more especially Virginia, to the

JUDGE THOMAS'S INTERVIEW. The following is the substance of Judge Thomas's testimony as furnished

by him to Major Stiles : Early in April, when it was known, after the fall of Richmond, that Mr. Lincoln was coming there, it was deemed a trisable to hold a public meeting with the view of expressing such views as would tend to show that we were willing to as would tend to show that we were wring a accept the situation, and to declare our purpose to renounce all opposition to the restoration of evil government under the authority of the Gov-ernment of the United States. The meeting was held in the reom adjoining the Whig office, and the proceedings were published in the Richmond

papers.

Judge Campbell, Mr. Myers (deceased), and
myself were appointed a committee to confer
with the President and submit the resolutions.
This we did, and Mr. Luncoln was much pleased
with the views presented by us.

In the conversation 1 had with the President
upon that occasion, reference was made to the
consequences which might ensue from the condition in which we were placed—the absence of
civil government, the demoralization prevailing,
and our utter inability to control the passions

state feeling masks, and the most granifies of the person of the person of the person of the search of the search

were revoked. This was done immediately after QUOTATIONS

Major Stiles quotes Admiral Porter's Incidents of the Civil War," General Grant's Memoirs, and Mr. Stanton's testiony before a congressional committee, and produces also an extract from a recent pamphlet entitled "Reminiscenses and Documents relating to the Civil War During the Year 1865," by Judge Camp-

As an interesting and conclusive con-

tribution to the history of this matter, is from the Evening Whig of April 7th, During the years 1876-1879 the Major (then a "loyal" paper) announcing that "an informal meeting of the members of the Legislature was held this mornthe Legislature for the purpose of authorizing a convention" to take Virginia Court here by the United States Govern- back into the Union. It is said the proeting was appointed to take place at military order:

4 P. M. to-day, to which time the meet-Next day the Whig made a correction, ernor had drawn out of the banks on the saying there was no meeting of the Leeve of the evacuation of Richmond and paid to those persons on account of their formal conference of private individuals, among whom were five or six members

> of the Legislature. THE MOTIVE.

The motive of these gentlemen in ming together was to hear from Judge Campbell (who had had an interview Mr. Lincoln on board one of the gunboats in the river) the terms upon tles and an able and pithy review of the which President Lincoln had expressed himself as willing that Virginia might return to the Umon.

Campbell was requested to accompany the committee, and the Whig said they were to leave the State as soon as pass- of it. ports could be procured.

lature and other citizens, who expressed to abandon this policy or to repudiate this the opinion that an immediate meeting | call, by the exigencies of the situation. "The responsibility (or glory) of breaking up Master Harry Nuckols, in Goochland, consent of the military authorities of the policy of restoration, and inaugu-the United States to the sessions of the rating in its stead the policy of recon-street, has returned from a very pleasant Legislature in Richmond in connection with the Governor and Lieutenant-Governor; to their free deliberation The Vi

sounty: J. J. English, of House of Delegates, Chesserfield county: A. M., Kelly, of Delegates, Chesserfield county: A. M., Kelly, of House of Delegates, Petersburg: H. W., Thomas, Second Auditor of Virginie; St. L. L. Moncure, chief clerk Second Auditor's office; Joseph Mayo, Mayor cliy of Richmond; Robert Howard, clerk Hustings Court, Richmond city; Thomas U. Dadley, Sergeant, Richmond city; Littleton Tazewoll, Commonwealth's Attorney, sichmond city; William T. Joynes, Judge of Circuit Court, Petersburg; John A. Meredih, Judge of Circuit Court, Richmond; William H. Lyona, Judge of Hustings Geart, Richmond: William G. Wickham, member of Congress, Richmond district; Benjamin S. Ewell, President of William and Mary College; Nat. Tyler, Editor Richmond Enguire; R. F. Walker, publisher of Examiner; J. R. Anderson, Richmond; P. G. Bayly, Richmond; F. J. Smith, Richmond; Franklin Stearns, Henrico; Jean Lyons, Petersburg; Thomas B. Fisher, Fauquier; William M. Harrison, Charles Citr; Cyrus Hall, Richhe; Thomas W. Garnett, King and Queen; James A. Scott, Richmond.

J. A. Campfield.

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Major-General, commanding.

Richmond, Va., April 11, 1865. And last of all from the . Whig of Fri-

day, April 14th, we copy the following

HIBADQUANTERS DEPARTMENT VIRGINIA,)
RICHMOND, VA., April 13, 1865.

Owing to recent events the permission for the
reassembling of the gentlemen recently acting
as the Legislature of Virginia is rescinded.
Should any of the gentlemen come to the city
under the notice of reassembling already published they will be furnished passports to return
to their horses.

to their horses.

Any of the persons named in the call signed by J. A. Campbell and others, who are found in the city twelve hours after the publication of this notice, will be subject to arrest, unless they are residents of the city.

E. O. C. ORD.

Major-General Commanding the Department. PRESTO! CHANGE. After an examination of many authori-

case, Major Stiles finds-1. As late as the afternoon of the 13th of April, 1865, General Weitzel and the Messrs. Joseph B. Anderson, David I.
Burr, N. P. Tyler, and H. W. Thomas
were appointed a committee to inform
faith to carry out Mr. Lincoln's policy the Legislature and Governor Smith of of immediate restoration, and they re-President Lincoln's terms, and Judge garded the address or "call" of the

Mr. Lincoln himself was not only The next publication of importance the author and sponsor of that policy and that "call," but as late as the after-The next publication of importance and that call, but is also as the state as the state and the most important of all, says Manon of the 13th of April, 1865—four days after the surrender of General Lee, and when he must be concluded to have from a number of members of the Legister of the state of the st

The Doctors to Meet at Roanoke The Virginia Medical Association from Culpeper county, where she has meets at Roanoke September 3d, and, as been spending the summer with relaopportunity for a little recreation and returned from an extensive trip to the

on the 7th instant and reach here about How stop-over at any of its stations. has returned home after a pleasant visit. Trains leave Richmond and Alleghany to her friend, Miss Mary S. Epps, of

station daily at 9:15 A. M. and 10 P. M. Howard's Grove.

Mr. John W. Fisher, collector of cus- Master Edward Kelly, of 517 north First reside permanently. toms at the Richmond custom-house, street, have returned from a pleasant yesterday appointed Mr. John S. Bethel visit to West Point.

Isle for a great number of years and a weeks with her sisters.

HOMEWARD FLYING.

NOT THE SWALLOWS, BUT THE SUM-MER WANDERERS.

the Bockbridge Alum.

evening for Baltimore.

York.

Grove.

Lee Hall.

River Line.

and strength.

in Petersburg.

from the White Sulphur.

Old Point on a pleasure trip.

returned from the mountains.

Mr. Willie G. Stokes and family baye

Miss Carrie Boone will leave the city

Miss Berta Woodram, of this city.

Messrs. Forest Glenn and Arthur Me-

Miss Etta Smith, of Church Hill, is

spending the summer with friends at

Mr. C. W. Harton and wife returned

home Friday from the North via York-

Major Norman V. Randolph has re-

turned to the city in improved health

Miss Mary O. Harwood reached home

Master Oscar Hagmeyer has returned

from a two months' visit to his friend,

visit to relatives and friends in Amelia.

Miss Sallie F. Corbin has returned

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Wilson have just

northern watering-places, both greatly

F. Eppes, Esq., has returned home after visiting relatives in the lower part of

Dr. Henry C. Jones is at present in He will sail from that place

Miss Grace Lee Watts, of Portsmouth,

last week after a pleasant sojourn at the

is visiting relatives and friends in Dan-

Monday to visit friends in Norfolk,

who have been visiting Wilmington, Del., Philadelphia, and Atlantic City, All Have Had "a Splendid Time," but will return home to-day. Glad to Get Back Again-Condensed

Mrs. J. J. Harvey and her two daugh-Items of General Interest. ters, with Miss Gertrude Gates, have about two weeks. just returned from a most pleasant so-Mr. A. C. Moore leaves for Norfolk ourn at Asbury Park, N. J.

to-morrow morning. Mrs. J. T. Brauer and daughter Bea-Miss Janey Bagby, of Stevensville, is trice and Mrs. Joseph Stumpf and child at the Hotel Dodson. have returned home after spending a de-

Miss Mand James has returned from lightful time at Atlantic City, N. J. the city from a pleasant trip to the weekly sick benefits. Mr. August Duckhardt left Saturday

White Sulphur Springs and through the Blue Ridge and Alleghany mountains. Mr. William L. Royall has returned Mr. John Toler has left the city for

Street church quartette choir, has returned to the city from Ocean Grove, N.

J., where she spent the month of Au-Captain F. W. Hagmeyer will leave in a few days to be absent for a month. He shall street, where she will remain until will visit his children and grandchildren joined by her husband, when Mr. Leh-

in Washington, Baltimore, and Philadel-Mullin left Saturday evening for New Miss Pearl Enos and her friend, Miss Miss Willie Deans, of Portsmouth, is visiting Miss Mary Epps, of Howard's Stella Bradley, of Church Hill, have left

Baltimore, and will return after the Ex-Mrs. William H. Schleuter and Mrs. Felix Myer will leave Monday evening for Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

turning they will visit the Baltimore Ex-Miss Ruth Profiltt, of 621 north days ago to visit friends and relatives in Miss Isa Atkins, of Church Hill, is King William and King and Queen

still having a pleasant time with friends counties. Miss Gertrule Hart, of Marshall street, returned home a few days since, after a most enjoyable visit to friends and relatives in Louisa and Goochland Miss Annie Bazel, who was visiting the | counties,

Mr. J. R. Fisher, Jr., arrived in the city last night from Greenwood en route to Old Point, where he will spend a few days before returning to his duties in Washington.

Mr. Iredell Jenkins, of Baltimore, who has been visiting his old home for the this new church. his friends, will return to the Monumental City to-morrow morning.

Miss Fidelia H. Cauthorn, of 404 east Marshall street, has returned home from a visit of several weeks to friends and relatives in King and Queen and Middlesex counties and West Point, Va.

Hessis, Benjamin Alsop and Robert F. Williams, Jr., left Thursday to attend the Buffalo Tobacco Exposition. They will also visit Niagara Falls, Watkins Glen, and other places of interest.

Baker.

The following Richmond people were at the White Sulphur Springs, West Virginia, last week: Mrs. F. H. Leary, Miss Nannie Eppes, daughter of John

oward's Grove.

Mrs. E. J. Black, of this city, have reE. T. Crump, Mrs. James Thomas, Jr.,
Mrs. Emma S. Kelly and son and turned to Philadelphia, where they will and maid, L. D. Crenshaw, R. A. Dun-

Rev. William H. Christian, of Hamp-Mrs. J. E. Booker, of No. 605 north and left yesterday morning for Lexing-Twenty-fifth street, left Wednesday for ton to attend the funeral of his son's Baltimore, where she will spend three wife, Mrs. Julia Jackson Christian, who

will be ready for the United States Court hours, and the Marshal.

Rev. William Mitchell, of the New Mrs. A. Burnett and two daughters, Jersey Methodist Conference, and family will be in our city next week, reaching here on Tuesday, and will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Hankins, 1114 Floyd street. They will remain here

Mr. M. F. Hudnall, treasurer of Napoleon Council, No. 411, American Le-gion of Honor, on Friday paid to Mrs. Eliza M. Duval, mother of the late James Dunlop Duval, \$5,000. This order has a membership of over 62,000 Mr. August H. Stille has returned to and pays from two to twenty dollars

The arrivals of Richmond people at Blue Ridge and Alleghany mountains.

Captain and Mrs. Frank Potts are now

L. Farrar, Miss Flora Coleman, Percy Captain and Mrs. Frank Potts are now summering in the mountains of West Virginia, but will probaby visit the Velley of Virginia before their return.

Campbell, Thomas J. Grav. Patrick C. Campbell, Tudor, and G. J. Snyder.

> Mrs. S. Lehman, two children, and visit to her brother-in-law, ex-Council-man A. H. Kaufman, No. 7 west Marjoined by her husband, when Mr. Leh-man and family will depart for their future western home, at Spokane Falls,

President D. H. Gnines and P. R. the city to visit friends and relatives in Rogers, Esq., have been elected dele-Ealtimore, and will return after the Ex-gates from Richmond Association. No. 1, to the National Association of Stationary Engineers, which meets in Detroit this Richmond Association was entitled to only one delegate last year, but a very humorous sketch of a negro him 8 him sound and well.

Fourth street, left the city about ten bed for several days at his country home days ago to visit friends and relatives in Westwood. His sickness prevented him more.

Sommons Liven Regularon, hear in mind a more, and an experiment, it is endersed by thousands. from going to Charlotte, N. C., to see tending the funeral at Lexington, Va. Late last night the Doctor was reported

to the city vesterday from a Baptist meeting in Winchester, Va., where he engineered a collection of 8612 for State Wissians To he had been seen to be formed by the first six months of its career. engineered a collection of \$612 for State

Missions. To-day he will preach at the dedication of the new Baptist church at Crewe, Nottoway county, and "lift"

Crewe, Nottoway county, and "lift"

Career.

Messrs Schwarzschild and Wertheim have fully justified all the pleasant words said of them when the house was system, and for 1502 person, scrotals, and so

J. Christian and wife, James S. Baughan, will wish them a large share of con-T. French and wife, Miss Mary L. French, Miss M. G. French, W. T. Sizer and wife, Luther Martin and wife, Edmund Bossieux and wife, and Dr. E. T.

Mr. John A. McGilvray, secretary of the State Board of Education, returned yesterday morning from a pleasant month's visit to Cold Sulphur Springs. He is greatly improved by the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Morley (nor Miss Katie Black) and Miss Nannie Morley, all of whom have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Black, of this city, have relop, John B. Purcell, John F. T. Anderson, Decatur Axtell, John D. Patton, J. son, Pecatur Axten, John D. Pation, J. H. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Crump, Mrs. D. Welliord, Mrs. M. T. Williams, A. C. Becker, wife, and daughter; James A. C. Beeker, wife, and daughter; James
R. Anderson and wife, Mrs. Gentry,
Garland Burnett, E. M. Moone, Mrs. W.
J. Yarbrough, W. G. Yarbrough, M. S. W. Sallowed at any of its stations within the died Friday morning in Charlotte, N. C. J. Yarbrough, W. G. Yarbrough, Mrs. S. limit of the ticket,

building would be pushed forward at a rough and stormy voyage, in which they and William R. Trigg. There were 882 once, and that in a few days the building were delayed at sea for twenty-four people on hand Friday.

St. Nicholas for September. Following the article on the late Miss olas the No, for September contains a full and interesting account of "Helen Keller," a young girl who also is deaf, dumb, and blind. The sketch is by Florence Howe Hall, a daughter of Dr. Howe, and contains portraits of the child, of her teacher, a fac-simile letter from the little girl herself to Mrs. Hall, and other illustrations. Mary Hallock Foot tells the sad story of "The Lamb That Couldn't 'Keep Up,'" and a beau-tiful drawing illustrating the little story forms the frontispiece of the No.

Treadwell Walden tells in a brisk style some Adirondack adventures in the days when travelling in that region presented the alternative of hunger or success in hunting and fishing.

Fannie W. Marshall contributes a keenly humorous little study of boyish character-"A Day Among the Blackberries"—describing the method by the wonderful relief size obtained which three boys spent all day in "blackberrying" and came home empty-Another very strong, humorous story

Lucy Larcom, Harriet Prescott Spof-ford, Harriet S. Morgridge, Cornelia P. dered liver, which Simmons Liver Regulator

Stone, Emma Smuller Carter, Charles B. Going, and Henry Tyrrell contribute poems and verses in pleasing variety of F. H. Lungren has drawn two pictures for the number, and E. W. Kemble has

It is certainly a number presenting a

Dr. Hunter McGnire has been sick in and no child could well read it without opposite post-office, 85 hmond, Va.

The list of contributors is a very Mrs. Julia Jackson Christian, to whom strong one, and, better than that, their he was summoned by telegraph, and at- contributions are not unworthy of them. in Dress Goots.

Enterprise Will Tell. The success of "The Boston" One- assorted stock. Price Clothing house is one of the celebrate the first six months of its

another collection to pay off the debt on this new church.

The following Pinkmand recollection to pay off the debt on the new church.

Opened. They have proven themselves to be men of enterprise and push, and have blended with it a politeness and properties. courtesy which, with their uniform fair but cured by Simmons Liver Regulates guests at the Variety Springs during the dealing, has won hundreds of new week ending August 20th: J. T. Allen, friends and retained all old ones, They Louis Bossieux, Mrs. W. J. Binford, R. are to be congratulated, and the public ner Third, are showing a grant line of Carpet.

> The Postal Telegraph-Cable Company Tenth and Hull streets, Manchester, for mons Liver Regulator never dos the convenience of the public.
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> Messages will be sent and received at Isaac Stolk & Co., But Broad street.

Bryan its reneral office, corner Thirteenth and less than cost, The rate between any of the Rich- relieve the worst case of dyapep-is.

Virginia Medical Association The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company will sell round-trip tickets to posspectra & DENGON, a.P. M., four frame

General Passenger Agent.

Mesers, Ganns & Co., 113 east Broad street, will open on Monday, September 2d, a full line of Millinery

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fect fit, without the annoyance of re-fitting. Ladies who learn it will have no further use for "bought patterns. Go with J. M. Thompson & Co. to. Washington to-morrow (Monday) night,

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four years of age, had a dreadful time with a cers, sores, and blotches which followed chieve pex. After using many remedies without her

Third, are showing some very choice style

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GEORGE W. MAYO, 10% A. M., furniture, bety-carriages, hardware, Ac.

de consider it to be uniscessary to mention. Signed) A. J. Narshall, Schator, Facquier: J. Sandor-Secsion, Schator, Sandor, Secsion, Schator, Scha PROCIAMATION.

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